

IN THE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

118<sup>TH</sup> CONGRESS, 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

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# RESOLUTION

Offered by Mr. Westerman (for himself, and Mr. Grijalva)

Authorizing the Indo-Pacific Task Force in the Committee on Natural Resources.

*Resolved*, that the Committee on Natural Resources establishes an Indo-Pacific Task Force:

## **Section 1. Short Title**

This resolution may be cited as the “Indo-Pacific Task Force Resolution.”

## **Section 2. Establishment of Task Force**

There is hereby established in the House Committee on Natural Resources (hereinafter referred to as the “Committee”) a task force to be known as the House Committee on Natural Resources Indo-Pacific Task Force.

## **Section 3. Functions**

The Indo-Pacific Task Force shall conduct hearings and investigations relating to issues facing the U.S. territories and Freely Associated States in the Indo-Pacific within the Committee’s Rule X jurisdiction and may issue reports to the Committee detailing its findings and recommendations.

## **Section 4. Membership**

The Membership of the Indo-Pacific Task Force shall be:

Ms. Radewagen, *Chair*, Mr. Westerman, Mr. Lamborn, Mr. Wittman, Mr. Tiffany, Mr. Moylan, Ms. Hageman, Mr. Sablan, *Co-Chair*, Mr. Grijalva, Mr. Gallego, Ms. Porter, Ms. Leger Fernández, Ms. Stansbury, and Mr. Case.

## **Section 5. Chair and Co-Chair**

The Chair of the Indo-Pacific Task Force shall be Ms. Radewagen, and the Co-Chair shall be Mr. Sablan.

#### **Section 6. Authority and Procedures**

The Rules of the House of Representatives applicable to standing committees and the rules of the Committee shall govern the Indo-Pacific Task Force.

#### **Section 7. Expiration**

The Indo-Pacific Task Force shall expire on December 12, 2023.

#### **Section 8. Effective Date**

The resolution shall take effect upon adoption.